

# CLAMORING FOR ADMITTANCE

Does this sound as though the people have taken advantage of this big Closing Out Sale? Our sales slips show that there have been fully 6,000 satisfied purchasers that have taken advantage of this mighty sacrificing of Merchandise.

**HUNDREDS TURNED AWAY**

For not being able to gain admittance. The crowds were immense. The sidewalks were black with people. But what could we do? It was a perplexing problem to handle the crowds. We did our best. Everyone that gained admittance were waited on. But now, during the closing days of this BATTLE OF PRICES, all of the odds and ends and broken lots of this once splendid stock must leave the house without further notice. We say to you: Take anything that you want and at your own price, as positively no goods will be placed to the side. Our lease expires on this building on January 18th, 1909, at 12 o'clock noon, and not a minute longer, at which time the concern so well known as the Manufacturers Outlet Clothing Co. will have been entirely wiped out of existence.

## LISTEN! LISTEN!

An extra force of salespeople has been employed for these last days of this mammoth Battle of Prices, but it will become absolutely necessary at times to close the doors to take care of the crowd. You will be waited on as quickly as possible.

**THE MORE YOU SPEND HERE THE MORE YOU SAVE!**

50c and 75c Men's Heavy Fleece Lined and Ribbed Underwear, all colors, 29c.	10c Red, White & Blue Handkerchiefs 2c.	10c Black, Tan and Gray Socks 3c.	\$2.25 Men's Wool Coat Sweaters \$1.19.	25c and 35c Knee Pants 13c.
\$1.00 Men's Pants, assorted colors, 55c.	\$3.00 Boy's and Child's Suits. \$1.65.	\$12.50 Men's Overcoats and Cravenette Rain Coats \$4.98.	50c Men's Work Shirts 31c.	50c and 75c Knee Pants 31c.
25 cent Heavy Wool Socks, 9c.	15c Ladies' Hose 7c.	\$1.00 Wool Underwear all colors 69c.	3.50 Light Colored Cord Pants \$1.85	7.00 and 8.00 Youths' Suits, sizes 14 to 20, \$1.89.
\$3.00 Men's Dress Pants. \$1.95.	\$10.50 Men's Suits to go at \$3.89	\$2.00 Men's Blanket-lined Duck Coat \$1.19.	22.50 Men's Suits in Brown, Tan and Olive \$10.79.	16.50 Men's Overcoats and Cravenette Rain Coats \$7.89.
\$1.50 Boys' Coat Sweaters to go at 79c.	50c Caps in Cloth and Corduroy 37c.	\$20.00 Men's Suits in latest patterns 9-95.	50c Rich's Genuine All-wool Socks 31c.	10c Canvas Gloves 3c.
	35c Ladies' Vests and Pants 17c.			16.00 Men's Suits \$7.95.
				25c Men's Suspenders 9c.

## LAST NOTICE.

The object of this announcement is to effect a clean sweep of everything in the house and this sale will go down in history as the most daring and unprecedented sacrifice that ever took place in the United States.

# Manufacturers Outlet Clothing Co.,

Bush Arcade, High Street.

Bellefonte, Penna.

### Democratic Watchman

Bellefonte, Pa., January 1, 1909.

#### ONLY A BOY, YET A TERROR.

This Youthful Desperado of the Southwestern Territories Was but Twenty-one When He Met Death at the Hands of Sheriff Pat Garrett.

When General Lew Wallace was governor of New Mexico and the war that raged for several years between the rival cattle companies was at its height "Billy the Kid" had reached the flood of his murderous career. He arrived in Lincoln county to take sides in the cattle warfare, known and feared in every range town and mining camp in the southwestern territories.

Pure wanton love of carnage was all that attracted him to Lincoln county. With the band of desperadoes he led he raided ranches, "shot up" towns, killed, burned houses and committed outrage after outrage with the blind recklessness of a maniac. Fear was extinct within him. He cared no more for detachments of cavalry than he did for covering sheriffs.

Affairs in New Mexico finally came to such a pass that half the cattlemen paid the youthful desperado tribute. It was only after Pat F. Garrett was made sheriff of Lincoln county and the author of "Ben-Hur" (General Wallace) urged that fearless gun fighter and gambler to capture Billy the Kid that a determined effort was made to end his reign of terror.

The obstacles that Garrett had to encounter called for all his headstrong energy and nerve. Billy had the entire countryside in a state of abject terror; friends were ready to give him timely warning of pursuit; ranchmen dared not deny him lodgment or concealment.

Pat Garrett undertook the capture in October, 1880, and on Dec. 20 he surrounded the Kid and his band in a deserted house near Stinking Springs. After a siege lasting most of the day the outlaws' ammunition was exhausted. Billy the Kid surrendered. He and his four followers, surrounded by a great force of armed men, were taken to Las Vegas and thence to Santa Fe for safe keeping.

An array of indictments charging murder confronted him. He was tried on one indictment and acquitted, then tried on another and convicted. He carried himself throughout with sneering defiance. After he had been sentenced to hang Garrett took him to Fort Stanton, near Lincoln. Two deputies armed with Winchester were assigned to guard him in the temporary jail in the Murphy & Dolan store building.

In some mysterious fashion the

Kid possessed himself of a revolver, shot down his guards, seized their weapons and appeared at the window. When another guard appeared the prisoner riddled his body with buckshot. Then he called to an old man on the plaza to bring him a file. Filing off one of his shackles, he called for a horse. One was brought, and he escaped.

For nearly three months after that Billy the Kid led a fugitive life. Garrett dogged him patiently and finally got wind of his hiding place—the ranch of Peter Maxwell, near Fort Sumner. It was nearly midnight when Garrett and two deputies quietly approached the Maxwell hacienda. Garrett crept into the room where Maxwell was sleeping. Softly awakening the sleeper, he questioned him concerning the whereabouts of the Kid.

At that moment the hunted youth sprang into the room, calling out in Spanish, "¿Quien va?" ("Who comes there?") It was Billy. He was unarmed, and as he reached for his rifle Garrett shot him. The body of William Bonney (Billy the Kid) was buried in the military cemetery at Fort Stanton July 15, 1881. His age at the time of his death was twenty-one years seven months. There his body is today, though in later years a corpse was exhibited throughout the west as that of the famous young outlaw.—Harper's Weekly.

#### Made of Adobe in Bolivia—Growing Trees Used in Africa.

The most original telegraph line in the world once extended from the capital of Bolivia, La Paz, to the town of Oruro. In this part of Bolivia there are no growing trees, and wood is so difficult to find that even the ordinary household furniture of the natives is invariably made not of wood, but of dried mud or adobe.

So when the war broke out between Chile and Bolivia and a telegraph line became urgent it was adobe that was chosen for the queerest telegraph poles in existence. These pillars were built on stone foundations and measured about five feet square at the base, with a height of about fifteen feet.

They were placed at intervals of about 361 feet and thus held the wire at a height sufficient to clear the only animals of the country, the llama and the donkey. The total length of the line was 156 miles.

Among other curious telegraph lines is the growing pole line erected in Uganda by an English engineer, who could not find any dead wood which would withstand the white ants and hit upon the idea of transporting growing bark cloth trees to the side of the roads and using them as poles.

In the Dutch East Indies growing trees are turned to account also, but there a wire is stretched across the road between the trees on either side, and the insulator is suspended in its middle, and the line is thus over the road and clear from vegetation.—Chicago Tribune.

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